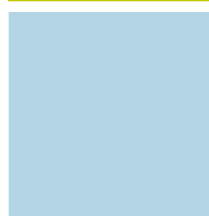


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AIA NEVADA - WORKING FOR YOU THE NEED FOR REVISIONS TO "NEVADA FIRST" BILL

The 77th regular session of the Nevada Legislature will begin on February 4, 2013, and AIA Nevada is already at work on your behalf. Recently, the AIA NV Legislative Committee met with Assembly Majority Floor Leader, Marcus Conklin to discuss the necessity for changes in the "Nevada First" bill, which is a large part of the legislative plans to create jobs in Nevada. In order to be effective and beneficial for Nevada's design professionals the current bill SB268 will need to be amended. AIA Nevada is working to see that this happens.



As background: The "Nevada First" Bill - SB 268 created the implementation details for the preference for Nevada-based design professionals in public works projects. The bill specifically applies to architects (NRS 623), landscape architects (NRS 623A) and professional engineers and land surveyors (NRS 625). However, Interior designers and residential designers, who are also licensed under NRS 623, were not included in the original legislation.

The bill makes a design professional eligible for a preference for public works projects if they have paid at least \$1,500 per year for the three preceding years in the State Modified Business Tax. This provision was included in the bill prior to the late-session passage of the extension of the 2009 tax package that included an exemption of the first \$250,000 of annual payroll when calculating the tax. This has resulted in many Nevada design businesses being unable to qualify for the preference. The drastic decrease in design and construction activity during this recession has further lowered the payrolls of design firms.

The "Nevada First" bill (AB 144/SB268) as passed in April 2011 was a great benefit to keeping tax dollars at work in Nevada. But, as written currently, it is difficult to enforce and is not expansive enough to include all professional trades. AIA Nevada feels that there are specific changes that could be made to the bill to make it more effective and beneficial to Nevada professionals without impacting the economics.

First, by statute Nevada Architects and Engineers are selected based on qualifications and not pricing.
(See NAC 623.800) (Proposals for public works projects. (NRS 623.140))

The current language of AB144 awards a 5% preference for local professionals and professional firms. AIA NV feels that a 10% preference would be more meaningful to the Qualification Based Selection (QBS) process. We feel that the following requirements for the local preference would be effective to keeping Nevada tax dollars in the hands of Nevadans:

1. Firms pursuing the local preference shall have 5-years of tax records showing business being done in Nevada or Individuals shall provide evidence of residing in Nevada for the five previous years.
2. Firms pursuing the local preference shall have at least (1) full-time employee who maintains a primary residence within 50 miles of their Nevada office.
3. Regional, national or global firms pursuing the local preference shall provide evidence that no more than 20% of their employees or office locations are located outside the state of Nevada.
 - a. Firms meeting the requirements 1 and 2 but not meeting requirement 3 can receive a 5% preference in lieu of the 10% preference.

Second, AIA Nevada feels that the preference law should include all Design Professionals and certificates of preference should be issued by the boards having jurisdiction over these professions per NRS Title 54.

We feel that these adjustments would promote economic development within the State by keeping the residents of Nevada working on the projects within our state. These revisions are clearly enforceable without added expense to state budgets and the positive effects would be substantial.



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**AIA NEVADA
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**
MAX HERSHENOW, AIA

On Saturday, August 18, 2012, Ric Licata, FAIA passed away at his home surrounded by his family. We have written in the past issues of Forum about Ric's battle with cancer. Since being diagnosed last Fall Ric took on this disease with the same dignity and determination that exemplified his life. Ric's accomplishments were many and it would take more than one issue of this newsletter to list them all.

There was a wonderful celebration of life in memory of Ric on August 24. Speakers talked about Ric's achievements, many of which I was familiar with. In addition to the professional successes, I especially enjoyed the personal memories of Ric. He grew up in Michigan and was a former hockey goalie. He was a passionate fan of the Detroit Red Wings. He wore a Hawaiian shirt on the first day of each Truckee Meadows Community College semester (even in chilly January!). He celebrated the end of each semester with cigars and scotch with his friend and fellow professor Ellis Antunez. He was an intense softball pitcher who treated most rec league games like the World Series. He was a spiritual man. His wife Shanna talked about how envious she was that he was an architect and loved what he did so much. His sons, Dante and Dominic, spoke proudly of their father. His students spoke in person and through correspondence about what a caring and dedicated teacher he was. Most of the speakers talked of Ric's philosophy that you have to "do the right thing." Photographs of Ric throughout his life were all around. The Unitarian Universalist Church was filled with laughter, tears, sadness, cheering and love. It was a very fitting celebration for a life well-lived.

Earlier that week a birthday party was held in Ric's honor. On August 11 the Wild River Grille was packed with family, friends, architects, educators and business associates. Although I wasn't able to be there due to a previously scheduled family vacation, I heard from so many people about a fantastic evening. We weren't sure how many people were going to attend, as the party was largely advertised by email. Social networking worked to perfection as it was estimated a couple of hundred people were there throughout the night. There was a constant stream of people saying hello and chatting with Ric and his family. The party was scheduled for a couple of hours, but lasted over 4 hours. Many great things were said about Ric, as one would expect. He was honored with the outstanding alumni award from his alma mater, Lawrence Institute of Technology. Ric was in good spirits and he enjoyed himself very much. We are so glad he could share the evening with everyone. A huge thanks to Randy Lavigne, Brad Van Woert, Matt Hansen and everyone else involved with planning the party.

Our thoughts are with Ric's wife Shanna, his sons Dominic and Dante and his extended family. Let's all work to honor him by continuing his "do the right thing" philosophy.

We have been talking about how great Ric's birthday celebration was. It was a memorable night. We have been discussing how we should do more within the AIA to recognize not only the great designs and professional service, but also the people behind the work. It's tough for us to do it over the expanse of our state, but we are hoping that we can do more at the local levels to recognize the wonderful people that are architects and friends of architecture. Great fun can be had in a purely social setting, as Ric's party showed. We'll be looking to replicate that feeling of fellowship and camaraderie more in the future. I know Ric would like to see that be one of the focuses of AIA here in Nevada.



AIA Nevada Design and Service Awards Gala
will be held at the Nevada Museum of Art in Reno,
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STATE GOVERNMENT NETWORK A REPORT ON THE SGN MEETING IN DENVER

ERIC ROBERTS, AIA

This year's annual State Government Network meeting was held in Denver, Colorado in mid-July. It was a fantastic few days full of passionate presentations, important legislation and cool rocky mountain temperatures. While not all subjects discussed at the national meeting were directly applicable to Nevada architects, there were many that bear on statutes and practice in the state of Nevada.

Some interesting and applicable subjects were: QBS and **Design-Build Reform**, unlicensed practice trends, model advocacy programs and grass-tops/grassroots programs. These presentations seemed to have greatest impact on our state and I felt merited further research and energy from our AIA Nevada component.

I am working directly with a committee that is developing model legislation language for Design-Build reform that would take into account selecting architects based on qualifications (per statute) rather than being "shopped" based on price alone. This may involve more architect-led Design-Build latitude within the state statutes. As this committee develops language and model legislations, we will work with our legislators to get some of the language vetted and adopted into law. As you might imagine, I anticipate that any change to Design-Build law will garner attention from our friends at the AGC; we will work with these collateral organizations to the greatest extent possible to develop new legislation together.

Unlicensed practice trends around the country are getting more attention from components of the AIA. Encroachments into the practice of architecture from engineers, contractors, interior designers and non-licensed individuals are a concern that affects each of us in our practices. Not only can unlicensed practice endanger the public safety and welfare but it takes away from our livelihood and damages our profession. Rest assured, our state board (NSBAIRD) is top-notch and very aggressive in protecting the practice of architecture. The AIA Nevada chapter is dedicated to protecting the practice of architecture and the profession that employs our licensed members. We will continue to monitor the climate within our state in regards to unlicensed practice and will propose statutes that strengthen and protect our profession.

Finally, I was very inspired by some of the **advocacy programs** that have been held around the country by various components. I am working to develop some of these programs into events that can be held in Las Vegas, Northern Nevada or at our State Conference next year.

I would encourage all members to find a way to attend a national or regional conference at least every few years. These conferences have a way of "rekindling the flame" of architecture in each of us. Grassroots in the spring is a fantastic opportunity to see how much work the AIA actually puts in behind the scenes to protect and promote architecture. If you have any questions on what opportunities exist for you to attend or be a part of; please don't hesitate to reach out to me at any time.
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And don't forget to attend The AIA Nevada Design and Service Awards Gala will be held at the Nevada Museum of Art on Saturday evening, September 29th. Tickets are \$45.00 each. [Click here to register for the Design & Service Awards](#)

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**IN MEMORIAM:
RICHARD D. LICATA, FAIA**

Richard D. Licata, FAIA (59) beloved husband, father and friend, and member of the AIA Nevada family passed away peacefully at his home, on Saturday evening, August 18th, 2012, following a valiant battle to survive cancer. *"Leading by example and giving of himself best typifies the life and career of this truly extraordinary man."*

Ric was born in Detroit, Michigan, on August 1st, 1953. He received his BS in Architecture from the Lawrence Institute of Technology and in 1999 earned his MBA from the University of Phoenix. In 2002 Ric received his Masters of Architecture Magna Cum Laude from the New School of Architecture and Design in San Diego, California. With a career spanning 40 years, Ric was, and will always be remembered as a distinguished architect and active advocate of sustainability, the environment, education, and the profession of architecture. He met and married the love of his life, Shanna Steenbergen in Reno, Nevada in 1984 where he established his architectural practice and firm, Licata Hansen Associates Architecture, with his friend and colleague Matt Hansen.

As a gifted and dedicated educator he was a Professor and Director of Architecture at Truckee Meadows Community College in Reno, Nevada, from 1989 through 2012. He taught and inspired thousands of young designers. In his honor the Truckee Meadows Community College will establish a scholarship in his name specifically for students who need financial assistance with their architectural education at TMCC. Contributions to the scholarship fund are currently being handled through AIA Nevada, and should be made payable to AIA Nevada / Ric Licata Scholarship Fund, and sent to 401 S. Fourth Street, Las Vegas, NV 89101.

Ric was a member of the American Institute of Architects for 28 years, and served as President of both the AIA Northern Nevada Chapter and the AIA Nevada state Chapter. In 2009 he was elected to represent the architects of the AIA Western Mountain Region as a Director on the American Institute of Architects National Board of Directors, and in 2011 he was elevated to the highest recognition an architect can receive as a Fellow (FAIA) in the Institute. In 2007 Ric received the AIA Nevada Livable Communities Award, and the following year was recognized with the prestigious AIA Nevada Silver Medal for a lifetime of distinguished service to his community and his profession. Recently, Ric received the Distinguished Alumni Award from his alma mater, Lawrence Institute of Technology and he has been selected to receive the AIA Western Mountain Region Silver Medal, recognizing a lifetime of distinguished service. As an active and effective advocate on behalf of the profession of architecture, Ric served as a member of Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid's Clean Energy Panel, and advised the Senator on issues of sustainability and renewable energy. He also served as a member of the advisory committee to President Obama regarding Public Engagement and creating jobs in Nevada and throughout the nation. In addition to the enduring structures he designed throughout Nevada, he will be remembered as an extraordinary and loving man with a creative soul.

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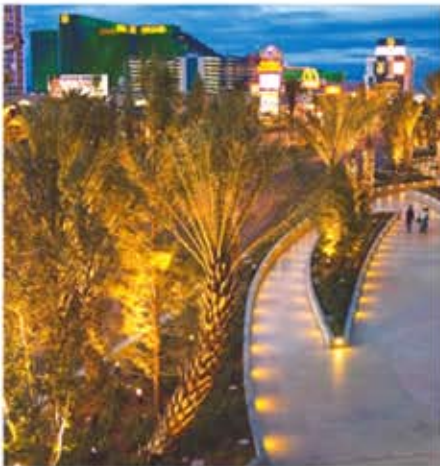


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**AIA NORTHERN NEVADA
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First of all, I would like to thank everyone who turned out for Ric Licata's Birthday Celebration on August 11th at the Wild River Grille. The air was heavy, but it was heavy with love and compassion for a man and his family who have done so much for our community in flying the flag of livable cities and sustainable design. With Ric's passing, I am reminded once again that it is far better to celebrate the living than to memorialize our friends who have left us, and that we must pay tribute to our colleagues who have spent their entire lives pursuing their love of architecture while they are still with us.

We owe it to them, and to ourselves.

Ric's passing also reminds me that his passion for learning should be ours and we must continually treat our pursuit of architecture as an educational experience and that we can never learn enough about this complex and ever-changing profession. And, of course, this leads into the AIA Nevada State conference that happens here in Reno on September 29th and 30th at the Nevada Museum of Art. It is called DICE (Design Innovation Creativity and Energy) and includes speakers from all over the country and from all disciplines of design. In amongst our seven speakers are a slide show, the obligatory pub crawl, and the annual AIA Nevada Design and Service Awards. It will be two days of intense learning and beer drinking. It will be a chance to get some of our mo' back after 4 or 5 years of a backward economy and the doggie downer attitude that has crept into our profession. There will be continuing education credits galore, with enough time to cavort with our professional peers in urban planning, graphic design, environmentalism, product design, and others.

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AIA LAS VEGAS PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE JEFF ROBERTS, AIA

Time

"That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind."
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When those immortal words were spoken, the vision, engineering and technology that had been woven together to take a man on the moon would forever change the face of our nation. In that pivotal moment, mankind achieved a goal that had been years in the making. Today, we live our lives reflecting on the past, using those experiences to define our next steps in life with a very short perspective. But, rarely do we envision our own personal vision or purpose to look into the next year, and to look even further into a decade is unheard of. In our rapidly changing world it is becoming increasingly challenging to look beyond the near future for glimpse of what lies ahead of us or what impression we could leave behind. I would like to share a brief perspective on time and the changes that can occur in such a short period and the ever-lasting affects in can have on society.

A great many prognosticators, writers and scientists use the year 2050 as the date on the horizon where the earth's environment will be greatly taxed, in the support of the projected 9 to 10 billion people who will be roaming the globe. The year 2050 will be drastically different from the world we live in today, yet that date seems so far away to most of us. When Neil Armstrong landed on the moon in July of 1969, the global population was 3.6 billion people. Most middle age adults can remember that eventful moon landing moment and upon reflection it does not seem that long ago, to most people. Just for comparison ...

Year:		Earth's Population
1969	42 Years ago	3.6 billion
2012		7 billion
2050	39 Years in Future	9-10 billion

The year 2050 is closer to us today than the date when a man first walked on the moon. We stand at the forefront of an industry that can look at global issues as a crisis.... or as an opportunity. We are facing a perfect storm, of environment, economy, natural resources and population that will present many opportunities. Yet too often our industry lacks the vision or the bold thinking required to capitalize on the opportunities that arise. Our inability to adapt to an ever-changing marketplace has paralyzed our earning potential but, more importantly, it has handcuffed our basic skill sets of making better places that will affect society in a positive way. If there is not significant change in our current mindset of simply following the methods of our predecessors, the field of architecture faces the daunting task of even being relevant in the next decade.

Summer is ending and fall is upon us. "Time" is the one thing that never stops and we never get to rewind and do it again. No matter what you believe happened in "Groundhog Day". Time is the most precious gift we have because all of us only have limited amount of it. We have such an amazing profession -- filled with so many challenges including our own daily schedules, but this is a unique career that still has a great deal of respect within society. As, I recently read "Architecture is a lifestyle not a career." So as the new school year starts, and we say goodbye to the lazy days of summer embrace your time. Kiss you kids as your drop them off at the first day of school, hug the teen going off to college for the first time, embrace your parents before it's to late, take an extra hour for lunch with a loved one, make a bold plan, live life to the fullest because time is not stopping for you. Make every moment count and live the change you want to be.

In the past month we lost two pioneers. Neil Armstrong and Ric Licata, FAIA. Each had a profound affect and left a greater legacy on their community. Ric passed way too soon but his reach and contributions in field of architecture is unmatched. Today, take a moment and reflect, are you making the most of your time?

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SEPTEMBER MEMBER MEETING BACK TO SCHOOL – TWO IMPORTANT PROGRAMS

Our September meeting will be held at the UNLV School of Architecture on Wednesday September 19th, as a “welcome back to school” program for the students and an opportunity for AIA members to re-connect with the School, faculty and programs. By special arrangement we're offering TWO programs specifically for emerging professionals, both of which are registered for AIA CLU's.



“ANTI-TRUST: WHAT HAPPENED AND WHY YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT IT”

4:30PM in the Architecture Studies Library

Presented by Jay A. Stephens, Vice President and General Council, American Institute of Architects

Think the issues of Anti-Trust are ancient history? Think again. “*The past isn't dead.... The past isn't even past.*” William Faulkner -- The events that brought on the restrictions of anti-trust continue to speak to us today as architects confront questions critical to the profession. What do we do about fees...and why can't we talk about them? How do we understand competitions that cost thousands but may pay nothing? Is it unethical for one architect to take work away from another? This is a presentation you won't want to miss. -- especially for emerging professionals – students, interns, associates and young architects...as well as senior members who will recall the term “Anti-trust” and may have experiences of their own to contribute. This is an important lesson in practice that all architects should attend.

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9:15-10:15AM "Daylighting & Energy Reduction Using Automated Shades" presented by Mecho Systems, Inc. (1 CEH/HSW/SD)

10:30 – 11:30AM "Sustainable Concrete Masonry Design – Thermal Performance" presented by Old Castle (1 CEH/HSW/SD)

11:30 – 1:30PM **Lunch Break (Lunch on your own)**

1:30- 2:30PM "Proper Installation Methods for Tile & Stone" presented by Custom Building Products (1 CEH/HSW)

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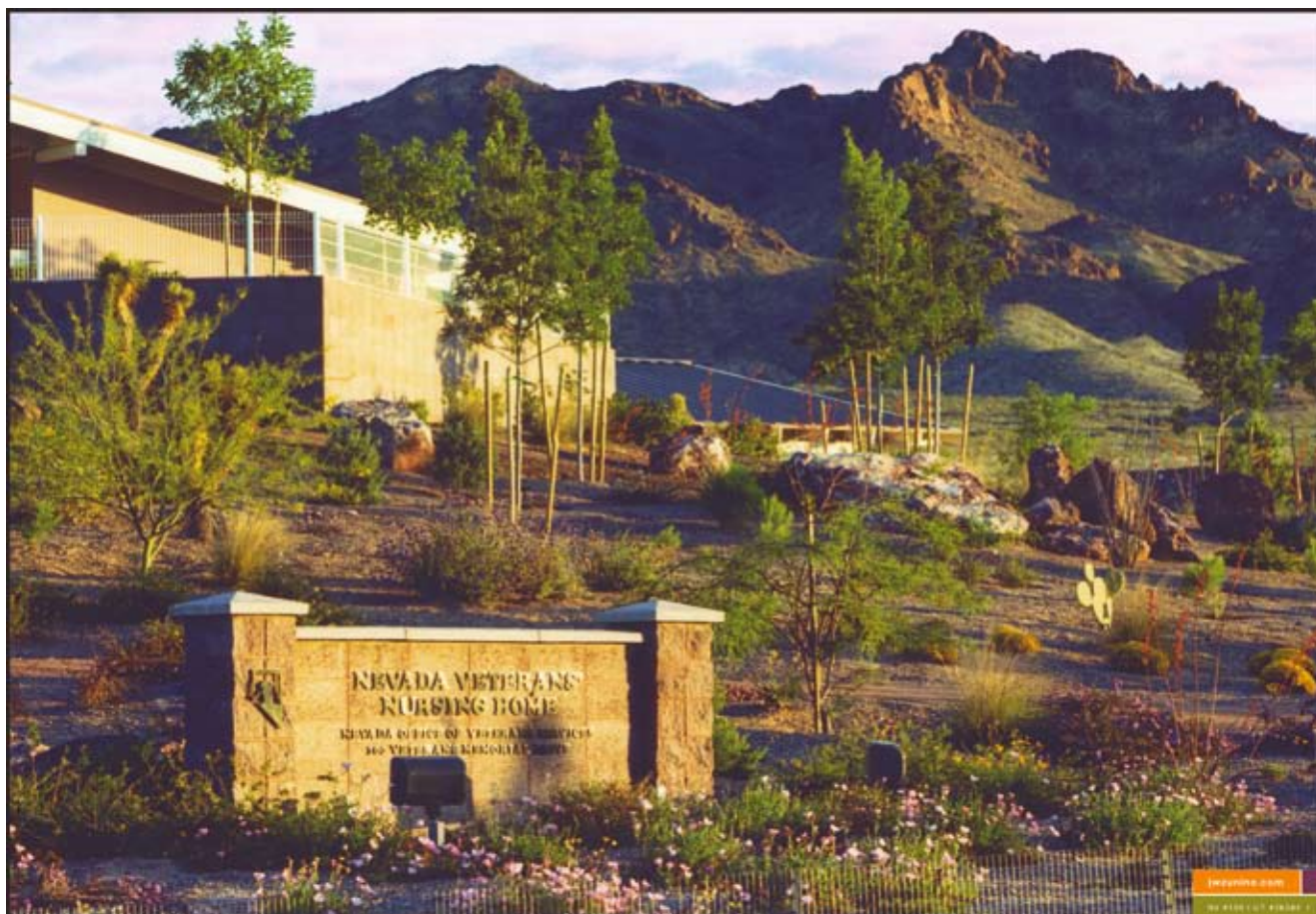
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"Tile Council of North America 2011 Handbook Changes"


Presented by Dale Roberts of Custom Building Products -

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